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William C. NORRIS, et al.

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Examiner: UHLIR, NIKOLAS J.

For: COATING SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
COATING A SUBSTRATE WITH A
POWDER-BASED COATING
COMPOSITION INCLUDING A COLOR
EFFECT-PROVIDING PIGMENT

Date: September 24, 2003

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Washington, DC 20231**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER
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